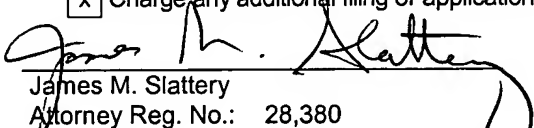




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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action mailed May 17, 2006, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

This Paper includes Claim Set As Amended and Remarks.